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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed August 18, 2005, Applicants,
with traverse, elect the claims of Group I, i.e., claims 1-8, 10, 12-16 and 18-19.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the requirement. It is believed
that the subject matter of the claims is sufficiently interrelated for all of the claims to be
expeditiously examined in a single application.

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